

TRUMP FCC: FOUR YEARS OF LOST OPPORTUNITIES

Committee on Energy and Commerce: Subcommittee on Communications and Technology held a hearing entitled “Trump FCC: Four Years of Lost Opportunities”. Testimony was heard from Ajit Pai, Chairman; Michael O’Rielly, Commissioner; Brendan Carr, Commissioner; Jessica Rosenworcel, Commissioner; and Geoffrey Starks, Commissioner.

INSIDER TRADING AND STOCK OPTION GRANTS: AN EXAMINATION OF CORPORATE INTEGRITY IN THE COVID-19 PANDEMIC

Committee on Financial Services: Subcommittee on Investor Protection, Entrepreneurship, and Capital Markets held a hearing entitled “Insider Trading and Stock Option Grants: An Examination of Corporate Integrity in the COVID-19 Pandemic”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

WORLDWIDE THREATS TO THE HOMELAND

Committee on Homeland Security: Full Committee held a hearing entitled “Worldwide Threats to the Homeland”. Testimony was heard from Christopher Wray, Director, Federal Bureau of Investigation; and Christopher Miller, Director, National Counterterrorism Center, Office of the Director of National Intelligence.

EXAMINING THE BARRIERS AND SOLUTIONS TO DIVERSITY, EQUITY, AND INCLUSION AT THE DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

Committee on Natural Resources: Subcommittee on Oversight and Investigations held a hearing entitled “Examining the Barriers and Solutions to Diversity, Equity, and Inclusion at the Department of the Interior”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

MISCELLANEOUS MEASURES

Committee on Veterans’ Affairs: Full Committee held a markup on H.R. 8247, the “Veterans Comprehensive, Prevention, Access to Care, and Treatment Act

of 2020”; H.R. 7163, the “VA FOIA Reform Act of 2020”; H.R. 5843, the “Strengthening Oversight for Veterans Act of 2020”; H.R. 7785, to amend title 38, United States Code, to extend certain employment and reemployment rights to members of the National Guard who perform State active duty; and H.R. 6092, the “Veteran’s Prostate Cancer Treatment and Research Act”. H.R. 8247, H.R. 7163, H.R. 5843, and H.R. 7785 were ordered reported, as amended. H.R. 6092 was ordered reported, without amendment.

ENFORCING THE BAN ON IMPORTS PRODUCED BY FORCED LABOR IN XINJIANG

Committee on Ways and Means: Subcommittee on Trade held a hearing entitled “Enforcing the Ban on Imports Produced by Forced Labor in Xinjiang”. Testimony was heard from public witnesses.

Joint Meetings

ALBANIA’S CHAIRMANSHIP OF THE CSCE

Commission on Security and Cooperation in Europe: Commission concluded a hearing to examine Albania’s chairmanship of the Organization for Security and Co-operation in Europe, after receiving testimony from Edi Rama, Prime Minister of Albania and OSCE Chair-in-Office.

**COMMITTEE MEETINGS FOR FRIDAY,
SEPTEMBER 18, 2020**

(Committee meetings are open unless otherwise indicated)

Senate

No meetings/hearings scheduled.

House

Committee on Science, Space, and Technology, Subcommittee on Space and Aeronautics, hearing entitled “Cybersecurity at NASA: Ongoing Challenges and Emerging Issues for Increased Telework During COVID-19”, 11 a.m., Webex.